
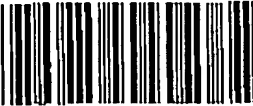


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In Re Application Of: Joey CHOW			
Serial No. 10/015,572	Filing Date 17 December 2001	Examiner. Cindy NGUYEN	Group Art Unit 2161
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD OF SELECTING SOURCES FOR A NETWORK ELEMENT HAVING REDUNDANT SOURCES			
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